



**ROBERT POLET**  
**Director (Non-executive)**

Robert Polet (born in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, on July 25, 1955), is a Director of the Board of Directors of SAFILO GROUP S.p.A. since April 26, 2017. He was previously Chairman of the Board of Directors of SAFILO GROUP S.p.A. (from October 5, 2011 to April 26, 2017).

He was, from 2004 to 2011, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Management Board of the Gucci Group contributing to the successful consolidation and growth of the Group and its brands.

He previously spent 26 years in the Unilever Group where he was President of Unilever's Worldwide Ice Cream and Frozen Foods division, a \$ 7.8 billion business consisting of over 40 operating companies.

Prior to that position, Mr. Polet worked in a variety of executive roles within Unilever, including Chairman of Unilever Malaysia, Chairman of Van den Bergh's and Executive Vice President of Unilever's European Home and Personal Care division.

Mr. Polet is also a non-executive Director of Philip Morris International Inc.–and SFMS B.V. and non-executive Chairman of Rituals B.V. and Arica Holding B.V.. He is also a senior independent director of William Grant & Sons and the non-executive Chairman of the Advisory Board of Suitsupply.